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In re Application of:

Tallman et al.

Serial No.: 10/045,396

Filed: November 9, 2001

For: **Methods for Screening GABA- Modulatory Compounds for Specified Pharmacological Activities**

Before the Examiner:
Brannock, M.

Art Unit: 1646

Confirmation No. 6851

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application:

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- a. Response to Response to the Restriction Requirement Mailed July 13, 2004; and
- b. Postcard.

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MAILED JULY 13, 2004

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 13, 2004, Applicants elect the claims of Group I, i.e., claims 1-11, which are directed to methods of screening compounds for cognitive enhancing activity.

Applicants urge the Examiner to contact the Applicants' undersigned representative at (312)913-0001 if the Examiner believes that this would expedite prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 6, 2004

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